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17. Spelling Bee Hymn Sing
18. Friday Progr
19. Square Dance
20. Tours of Ham
21. Tours of Poc Birthplace
22. Rodeo

The Museum

The Pocahontas County Historical Society was re-organized in 1961, and in 1962 it acquired its headquarters and museum building from the late Mrs. Frank Hunter. The house was built in 1904 by the Hunters when he was the first cashier of the Bank of Marlinton.

The grounds around the museum consist of approximately two acres lying between US Route 219 (Seneca Trail) and the Greenbrier River. On the right of the Museum are the graves of about forty Confederate soldiers. To the left are the graves of several of the early members of the Price family. An early Pocahontas County log cabin is also located on the grounds.

The Museum was dedicated in 1963 by Pearl Buck, world renowned author who was born in Hillsboro, and the then Governor of West Virginia, W. W. Barron. The library room in the Museum is named in Miss Buck's honor.

The Pioneer Days celebration was begun by the Historical Society in 1967 and has become an annual event. It is intended to be a time for people to honor the pioneers who first settled in this beautiful land that is our heritage, a time to take stock of the good things of life, to be grateful for them, and to enjoy them.

The Pocahontas County Historical Museum is owned by public spirited citizens throughout the county, state, and nation. Inquire at the Museum Shop if interested in membership in the Pocahontas County Historical Society.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The Pioneer Days Souvenir Badge, cost $1.00, is required for persons six years of age and older. It entitles holder to all events except the Rodeo, Horse Show, Horse Pulling Contest, Pony Pulling Contest, and Miss Pocahontas Pageant. The badge or $1.00 will be required for admission to the Friday night program and the Music Contest. There is a charge for the surrey, but the wagon rides are free. The wagons will stop at the Museum, in front of the Presbyterian Church on Main Street, and at the Elementary School. On Saturday the wagons will stop at the Rifle Shooting Contest.

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Presentation of Contestants in Evening Gowns - Introductions by Eugene M. Simmons
Entertainment
Crowning of Miss Pocahontas
"Pocahontas" by Mrs. Willard Eskridge

Pageant is sponsored by the Pioneer Days Committee. Each contestant has been pre-judged in swimsuit and winner will be presented a trophy during the pageant. The contestants will vote on Miss Congeniality, who will be awarded a trophy. Miss Pocahontas will receive a $125.00 scholarship; First Runner-up, a $50.00 Savings Bond, and Second Runner-up, a $25.00 Savings Bond. There will also be trophies awarded for the top three talents. Judges from Miss W. Va. Contest.

Admission to Pageant: Adults $1.00
Children .50¢ (under 12)

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Helen Kellison, Ruth Taylor, Donna Dunbrack, Dreama Burns, Bobby Jo Sharp, Nora Lou Workman, Eugene Simmons and Doug Dunbrack.

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Contestants

1. Genevieve Anne "Jenny" Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reid Mitchell of Marlinton. Sponsored by the Marlinton Fire Department Auxiliary.
2. Sharon Ann Kellison, daughter of Mrs. Georgia Kellison of Marlinton. Sponsored by the Marlinton Jaycees.
3. Marla Dean Chestnut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murl Chestnut of Dunmore. Sponsored by the Marlinton Lions Club.
4. Sherry Lee Wyatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wyatt of Frost. Sponsored by the Mt. Zion Extension Homemakers Club.
5. Virginia Lee Cloonan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Cloonan of Marlinton. Sponsored by the Marlinton Jr. Extension Homemakers.
6. Karen Lynn Kellison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kellison of Marlinton. Sponsored by the Edray Extension Homemakers.
7. Doris "Dodi" Hungerbuhler, daughter of Mrs. Elsie M. Hungerbuhler of Green Bank. Sponsored by the Marlinton Rotary Club.
8. Susan De Nora Viers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Viers of Buckeye. Sponsored by the Swago Extension Homemakers.
9. Sara Ann Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Howard of Buckeye. Sponsored by the Marlinton Business & Professional Women.
10. Marzella Hollandsworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hollandsworth of Marlinton. Sponsored by the Marlinton Woman's Club.
11. Betty Jo Gum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Gum of Green Bank. Sponsored by the Mary Rebekah Lodge 109.

Miss West Virginia 1975

Pamela Kristi Wick

Will Attend The Miss Pocahontas Pageant and Present Her Talent

Methodist Women.

10:00 a.m. - ?? -- Crafts, food, sold in front of Bank of Marlinton by the Marlinton Church of God.

11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. -- Wagon rides to and from Pioneer Days activities.

11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. -- Surrey rides to and from the Museum at a charge of $.50.

Noon -- "Ham on Biscuits" at Museum.

Noon - 7:00 p.m. -- Percussion Rifle Shooting Contest across Knapps Creek from the Board of Education Office. Regulation rules will be strictly enforced. Rifles furnished or bring your own. Practice shooting at .25¢ a shot. There is an entry fee of $1.00 for the contest, with prizes being awarded on Saturday at 6:30 p.m. at place of contest.

1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. -- Exhibits and Craft Demonstrations at Marlinton Elementary Gym.

1:30 p.m. -- Old Time Spelling Bee at the Museum. All ages. Cash prizes.

2:00 p.m. -- Pony Pulling Contest at Fairgrounds.

2:00 p.m. -- Pocahontas County History Contest at Museum. Cash prizes.

5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. -- Ham Dinner at the Marlinton Methodist Church.

7:00 p.m. -- Frog Hop and Turtle Races on the Marlinton Athletic Field for children ages 6-14. 1st, second, and third prizes will be awarded -- one entry per child. All entries must be in by 6:30 p.m. Four turtles and four frogs will be in each heat until three winners are picked. Sponsored by American Legion and V.F.W. No frog will be smaller than a half a dollar and no larger than a soft ball. All Turtles will be no smaller than a half dollar and no larger than 7 inches head to tail or across the back. All people will be asked to stand back of the wire. Thanks.

6:00 p.m. -- "Flying W. Rodeo" at Pocahontas Horseman's Arena. See page 5.

8:30 p.m. -- "Mementoes of the Rolling Years" staged on the Marlinton Athletic Field (See page 11). Bring a folding chair if possible.

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7:00 a.m. - ?? -- Country Breakfast at Edray Community Center.
9:00 a.m. - ?? -- Food sold at Bank of Marlinton by the Marlinton Church of God.
10:00 a.m. -- Snacks and cold drinks sold on Main St. by the Deer Creek Defenders 4-H Club.
10:00 a.m. -- Sandwiches and cold drinks sold at Clothing Shop on 4th Ave. by Brushy Flat 4-H Club.
10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. -- Food sold at First National Bank by Marlinton Jaycees.
10:00 a.m. -- Bake Sale at Museum by Marlinton 4-H Club.
10:00 a.m. -- -"Ham & Biscuits" on Museum grounds.
9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. -- Wagon rides to and from Pioneer Days activities.
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. -- Surrey rides at a charge of $.50.
9:00 a.m. -- Horsepulling Contest at Fairgrounds.
9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. -- Exhibits and Craft Demonstrations at Marlinton Elementary Gym.
9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. -- Percussion Rifle Contest. See page 10 for details.
12:00 noon -- Dinner at Marlinton Presbyterian Church. Chicken BBQ.
2:00 p.m. -- Parade on Court Street.
4:00 p.m. -- Mountain Music Festival at Athletic Field. Food sold during festival by Marlinton Church of God.
5:00 p.m. -- Horseshoe Pitching Contest at Presbyterian Church.
6:00 p.m. -- "Flying W Rodeo" at Pocahontas Horseman's Assoc. Arena.
9:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m. -- Square Dance in front of Southern States Store. Sponsored by Marlinton Lions Club.
9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. -- Social Dance at Marlinton Gym. $10.00 per couple. Sponsored by Marlinton Jaycees.

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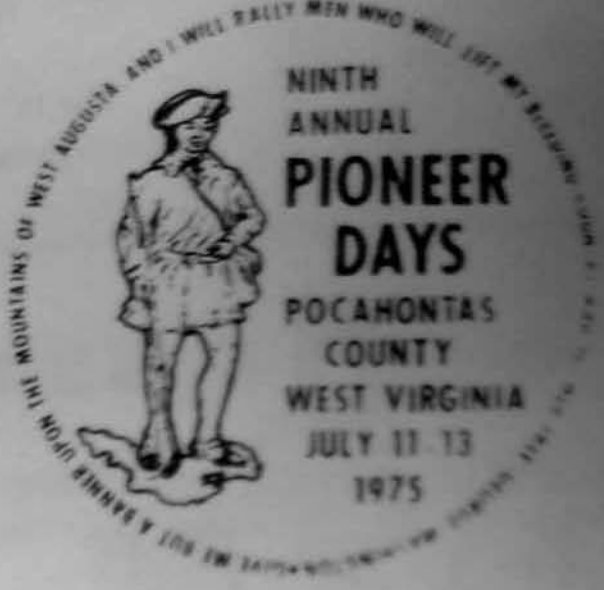

The 1975 Ninth Annual Pioneer Days Badge honors our pioneer great-great-grandfathers of two hundred years ago who served the cause of freedom as Indian scouts and Revolutionary soldiers.

George Washington said, "Give me but a banner and let me place it upon the mountains of West Augusta, and I will rally around me men who will lift my bleeding country from the dust, and set her free." Pocahontas was part of Augusta County at that time.

As scouts they had helped protect the frontier against Indian attacks and secured the western line so the Revolutionary War could be fought in the East without diversion, then they went on as soldiers to raise the flag of freedom over their new country.

"They wore fringed hunting shirts, dyed yellow, brown, white and even red; quaintly carved shot-bags and powder-horns hung from their broad ornamented belts; they had fur caps or soft hats, moccasins, and coarse woolen leggings reaching half-way up the thigh. Each carried his flint-lock, his tomahawk, and scalping-knife."

Drawing for badge by Betty Barlow.

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Miss Buck was born here June 26, 1892, the daughter of Absalom Sydenstricker and Caroline Stulting Sydenstricker. Originally from Holland, the Stultings emigrated to Hillsboro in about 1850 and built the house which has now been restored as the author's birthplace museum. Several of the Sydenstrickers, her father's family, served as ministers in Pocahontas and Greenbrier counties. Absalom, her father, spread the Gospel to distant China where Miss Buck spent much of her life. Those experiences in China provided the subject matter for many of her novels, notably "The Good Earth", which won her the Pulitzer Prize in 1932. After winning the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1938, this native daughter of West Virginia became the only woman to have won both of these illustrious awards.

Today, the Buck Museum displays antique furniture belonging to both families plus a wide variety of period pieces added since last year. Among the most unusual pieces are a trundle bed, an original rope bed, the authentic family organ, watchmaker's tools, and carpenter's lathe. An architect's dream built by skillful Dutch craftsmen, the Stulting house has delicate woodwork on the interior as well as bay windows on the exterior.

Opened this season, the original barn displays many antique farm implements such as a horse-drawn corn planter and assorted carpentry tools. Young and old alike will enjoy exploring this replica of that "Golden Age" when farming was the number one occupation. Local farmers will also exhibit several rare tools and machines of the past in the barn.

Taking pride in the development of this historic and culturally enriching project, many Pocahontas Countians have led the way to advance its programs. The Foundation wishes to thank the following contributors: Miss Julia Louise Price, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller IV, Bank of Marlinton, First National Bank in Marlinton, and the Marlinton Woman's Club.

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Parade Committee

Co-Chairmen: J. Steven Hunter and William Nash
Parade Marshall: Mack Brooks
Entries must be fully registered to win, and must be in place for pre-judging. Trophies and prizes will be awarded in seven classes and will be based on the most original Pioneer Days Outfit, except Western Style.
GRAND FEATURE $50.00 plus Trophy.

Class I - Horse and Rider $40.00, $30, plus Trophy.
Class II - Horse, Oxen & Buggy, Surrey, Buckboard Wagon, or any type of horse or oxen drawn conveyance, $40, $30, plus Trophy.
Class III - People Walking, Pioneer Dress, $40, $30, plus Trophy.
Class IV - Western Style, $40, $30, plus Trophy.
Class V - Antique Cars, Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd and placques.
Class VI - Floats of Pioneer Theme, $40, $30, plus Trophy.
Class VII - Special Entry, Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd.

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Sunday's Activities

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon -- Church of your choice.
Noon -- Food sold on Main St. by Deer Creek Defenders 4-H Club. Food also on Museum grounds.
1:00 - 5:00 p.m. -- Wagon and Surrey Rides. Wagons will run until after Hymn Sing.
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. -- Museum Open.
1:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. -- Horse Show at Pocahontas Horseman's Assoc. Arena (old fairgrounds), with many classes, trophies, ribbons and prize money. Food served by Hillsboro Fire Dept.
2:00 p.m. -- Song Service at the Old Log Church. Any choirs and song leaders welcome to participate.
2:00 p.m. -- Ballad Mountain Singing at Museum.
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. -- Historical tour of Marlinton (tours planned hourly).
7:30 p.m. -- Country Hymn Sing at Marlinton Methodist Church. Bring a folding chair if possible.

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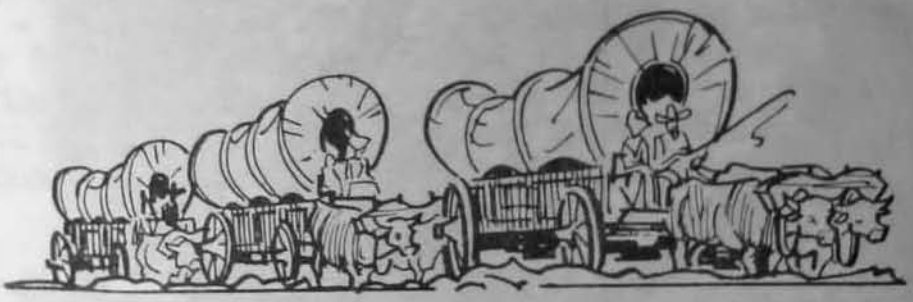
8. Egg & Spoon
9. Trail Class (Horse or pony)
10. 4-H Pleasure Class
11. Open English Pleasure
12. Western Horsemanship (open)
13. Novice Class
14. Pop Bottle Race
15. English Horsemanship (open)
16. Flag Race

Horse show awards are as follows: First, Second and Third Classes will receive a Trophy and 5 ribbons. Classes four thru sixteen will receive a Trophy plus $8, $6, $4, $2 and 1 ribbon. Entry fees for each class will be $3.00.



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Weekend Menus

FRIDAY, JULY 11: Bake Sale, 10:00 A.M. Richardson Hardware, sponsored by Methodist Women. 10:00 A.M. to ?? Bank of Marlinton, crafts, sandwiches, cold drinks, sponsored by Marlinton Church of God, 5:00 P.M. Country Ham Dinner, home baked bread, brown beans, slaw - at Marlinton Methodist Church - sponsored by Methodist Women. Ham & Biscuits at Museum - 12:00 noon to ??

SATURDAY, JULY 12: Country Breakfast, 7 A.M. to ?? Ham, eggs, fried potatoes, hot biscuits, juice & coffee, at Edray Community Center, sponsored by Edray Home Demonstration Club - 9 A.M. to ?? Bank of Marlinton, snacks, sandwiches & cold drinks, sponsored by Marlinton Church of God; 10 A.M., Main Street, snacks & cold drinks, sponsored by Deer Creek Defenders 4-H Club; 10:00 A.M. to ??, cold drinks & sandwiches at the Clothing Shop, 4th Ave., sponsored by Brushy Flat Hunters 4-H Club; 10:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. - First National Bank - short order food, sponsored by Marlinton Jaycees; 12:00 noon to ?? - Presbyterian Church - barbecued chicken, baked beans, potato salad, slaw, homemade bread, cupcakes, ice tea, coffee, sponsored by Presbyterian Women. Adults $3.50, children $2.50. 2:00 P.M. - snacks, cold drinks & "goodies" to be sold at Mountain Music Contest by Marlinton Church of God. Ham & Biscuits at Museum - Bake Sale - Marlinton 4-H Club - 10:00 A.M. - Museum.

SUNDAY, JULY 13: Main Street, snacks & cold drinks, sponsored by Deer Creek Defenders 4-H Club. Ham & Biscuits at Museum.

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Places Of Historic Interest

The Pearl S. Buck House in Hillsboro will be open this weekend. See page 17 for information about this restoration project. You can reach this house by traveling Route 219 south from Marlinton.

Another historic place you will want to visit is the Hamlin Chapel, known as the Old Log Church. This church was built in 1835 on land donated by Hamilton Duffield near Onoto. The church looks much the same today as then, except the high pulpit was moved out about 1919. The church has been designated as a Methodist Shrine. The Old Log Church can be reached by traveling approximately 1-1/2 miles above Campbelltown on the Stony Creek Road. (See page 14).

The Pocahontas Times Office in Marlinton will be open during the weekend. You will want to be sure to visit this interesting place. This is one of the last handset type papers in the United States.

Tour by wagon of places of historic interest around the Town of Marlinton on Sunday afternoon beginning at Marlinton Presbyterian Church at 2, 3 and 4 p.m.

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Buy your souvenir items at the Museum and from various county organizations. There are lovely hand crafted items for sale.

Visit the Log Cabin on the Museum grounds. The Marlinton Senior Citizens Group will have crafts on display there.

Many items will be on sale at the Marlinton Elementary Gymnasium during the weekend.

There are limited seating facilities at the Museum, so bring a folding chair, if possible, to the Hymn sing.

Miss Pocahontas will advance on to the Miss West Virginia Pageant, in Parkersburg.

Tours by wagon of places of historic interest around the Town of Marlinton on Sunday afternoon, beginning at the Marlinton Presbyterian Church at 2, 3, and 4 p.m.

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Pony Pulling Contest

Pony Pulling Contest at the old Pocahontas Co. Fairgrounds beginning at 2:00 P.M. Friday. Ponies will be broken down into two classes. 48 inches and under, and 48 inches to 54 inches. Cash awards will be awarded in four places. $40, $30, $20, and $10 in each class.

Horse Pulling Contest

Beginning at 9:00 A.M. at the old Pocahontas Fairgrounds 2 miles north of Marlinton. Prizes will be awarded by elimination. Each entry will be awarded a $10 entry fee, except prize winning teams. Cash prizes as following: 1st place, $175, 2nd place $75.00, 3rd place $50.00, 4th place, $35.00, 5th place, $25.00, 6th place, $15.00 and 7th place $10.00.

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